## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Group Art Unit: 1793

DIETER STROH et al Examiner: D. Patel

Serial No.: 10/574,541

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For: TOOL FOR AN ULTRASOUND WELDING DEVICE COMPRISING A REINFORCING ELEMENT FOR REDUCING THE DEVIATION OF THE

WORKING SURFACE OF THE TOOL

## AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 5, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins 2 on page of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.